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Mr. Larry Brill, Branch Chief
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RE: Olin Chemical Superfund Site Action Memorandum
MassDEP Support Letter

Dear Mr. Brill:

The Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection (MassDEP) has received and reviewed the US Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) Action Memorandum for the Olin Chemical Superfund Site (Site) in Wilmington, Massachusetts dated April 12, 2011.

This Action memorandum describes a non-time critical removal action (NTCRA) which will address the migration of contamination in groundwater from the Site to nearby private wells. The NTCRA will evaluate a wide range of options for mitigating contamination in private wells from treatment options to alternative water supplies. Additionally, monitoring of private wells in the area will be conducted as necessary to monitor contamination levels.

MassDEP supports this NTCRA because it will remove exposure potential of site contamination to the private wells in the area of the Site. However, this NTCRA should not constitute the complete and final cleanup plan for the Site.

Olin Chemical Site
4/20/11
Action Memo Support Letter

We look forward to continued coordination with EPA during the NTCRA, as well as during the Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study to evaluate the full nature and extent of contamination, and in the development of the subsequent Record of Decision for the Site.

Sincerely,



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cc: Joe Coyne, MassDEP
Jim Dilorenzo, EPA

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